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SUBJECT.

Mounted Police for the Cities of Bangalore & Mysore & the border Hd Qr towns.

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3) To the I. G of Police
" Dy Comm Mysore Dist
No J 3877-8 dy 22.3.1918.
States that Govt do not consider that there is at present any necessity for a Mounted Police force —.

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Mr Abdur Rahman
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Police file no. 212 A/1916 (1)

SUBJECT No. 319.

Mounted Police for the Cities of Bangalore, Mysore and border District Headquarter towns.

Mr. H. Krishna Sastri, Krishnarajpete Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The system of mounted police for the cities of Bangalore, Mysore and border District Headquarter towns may be introduced.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

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Subd. for orders vide a Sept calling for the opinion of the D.S. Pers the matter

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3) As regards the cities of Bangalore & Mysore & the K.G.F. the D.S. states that it is sufficient if the Officers & one shore the guard of 10 Constables be given h.a. of Rs 40 for Inspectors & Rs 30 for Sub Inspectors & that they be trained in to keep suitable mounts. This it is stated involves an addl. recurring expenditure of Rs 5000 per annum.

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4) As regards the police bands he is of opinion that the additional temporary police sanctioned to replace the Silesian force temporarily stationed is sufficient for the purpose.

5) He also suggests the desirability of considering Mr. Cain's idea of supplying the Sft. Res force with bicycles & thus converting them into a cyclist corps to be ready for emergencies.

6) Submd. for orders.

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13.3.18.

Nk. 7) The Member on Suggestion for introduction of Mounted Police System into the State. The Dy. of Police is not in favour of the proposal and considers it unnecessary to have a separate Police. So far as the State is concerned, there does not appear to be any necessity to have a body of men to parade the streets and keep off crowds and prevent disturbance, as the country is peaceful and there are no riots or disturbances to be prevented. If approved, incidentally the Draft will be put up that Govt. do not consider it necessary to introduce the System in the State.

8) Incidentally the Dy of Police suggests the opinion of the Civil Surgeon & Rly magistrate

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abaise allowance of Rs 40 for Inspectors & Rs for Sub-Inspectors, Govt stated that the annual recurring expenditure will be only Rs 5000/- He also considered desirable to have a cyclist corps for emergencies among provincial Special Reserve. In the absence of special necessity, it does not appear desirable to incur heavy expenditure to meet distant contingencies. It was resolved by the Council recently in connection with the recent reorganisation of the Dept. that in view of the heavy additional expenditure sanctioned, no other scheme involving additional expenditure should be sanctioned for another 5 years.

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Addl. Secy. 1) Yes. No case made out for having this Corps in the State, at any rate, for the present; nor for incurring the H.A. for the officers as recommended

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2) Submit. with a draft.
11) For approval.

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Addl. Secy. 12) Draft approved. Letter issued.

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To

The I. G. of Police in Ceylon

Date of issue 19/1/17

Signed by M. G. Sriniwasa Ayr

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to subject and No. 319 of the Representative assembly Proceedings of 1916 regarding increased pay to the Bangalore & Ceylon Police and the Home Office Regulations and the Reply of Govt. thereto and to request you to let me have early as to favour Govt. with your opinion in the matter.

I have etc

SUBJECT.

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for Secy to Govt
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No 6012/418

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

Dated Bangalore, 4th March 191 8.

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From

K. R. SRINIVASA IYENGAR, Esq., M.A.,
Offg. Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esquire, B.A.,

Chief *Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, ~~General Department.~~*

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. J. 2537 dated the 19th January 1917, calling for my opinion in the matter of employing mounted Police for the cities of Bangalore, Mysore and the border District Head Quarter Towns (Subject No.319 discussed in the Representative Assembly of 1916), I have the honor to state that the object of the maintenance of a mounted Police is to preserve order in the cities and large towns on occasions of the assemblage of large crowds, to patrol and guard the roads against the incursions and operations of criminal gangs and to quell disturbances, which may occur in any part of the State. As regards the first object, with the exception of the Bangalore and Mysore cities and the Kolar Gold Fields, the other towns in the State are certainly not in need of any mounted Police for the preservation of order. Even in the Bangalore and Mysore cities as well as the Kolar Gold Fields, I am of opinion that it is unncessary to maintain a separate mounted Police Force. The number of officers of and above the grade of Head constables in the Bangalore and Mysore cities, and the Kolar Gold Fields amounts to 13, 13 and 26 respectively, and if we could only

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insist on the maintenance of suitable mounts by these officers, we shall always have a fairly large number of mounted officers at each of these places quite sufficient to make a demonstration and keep order among crowds whenever necessary. But in order to make it obligatory for these officers to maintain horses it is quite necessary that they should be paid horse allowances on a scale liberal enough to permit of their purchasing and maintaining decent mounts. In the proposals submitted by me for the reorganization of the Police Department, I have proposed an allowance of Rs.30/- for Inspectors and Rs.20/- for Sub-Inspectors for the cities and the Kolar Gold Fields. If these rates could be raised by another Rs.10/-, it would facilitate our selecting for these places only officers who can ride well and insisting on their maintaining suitable horses. The total additional cost which this will entail will amount only about Rs.5000/- per annum and for this sum we shall practically have a small officers' mounted corps at each of these places, quite sufficient to meet all ordinary requirements.

2. With regard to the patrol of roads and the prevention of local disturbances in the other parts of the State, I do not think that any mounted Police is necessary in the present settled and peaceful state of the country. Till recently, we had a mounted Siledari detachment at Pavagada and Jaglur and at Shimoga for frontier patrol etc. They have been temporarily withdrawn on account of the War; and in their place the Government have, on my recommendation, sanctioned 2 mounted Daffedars and 6 constables for Pavagada and Jaglur while as regards Shimoga, the question of providing extra Police in place of the Siledari detachment is under correspondence between me and the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga, as I have not been convinced that the duties performed by the Siledari detachment there were such as to require their replacement by a mounted Police Force.

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3. In this connection I may be permitted to annex an extract

from a memorandum prepared in 1904 my Mr. F.C.Carr, the then Inspector-General of Police, in which he had expressed himself in favour of having a Police cyclist corps instead of a mounted Police, as part of the Provincial Special Reserve, to be available for special duty all over the State whether for the suppression of dacoities or other organized crime or the patrol of roads and the frontier. The suggestion of Mr. Carr appears to me to be worth consideration, and if it commends itself to Government, I shall develop it and submit definite proposals in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Inspector General of Police.

P.S.

WD 2328—GPB—400—2-4-17

From

The Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

Chief
The Secretary to the Government
of H. H. the Maharaja of
Mysore, General Dept.

Dated 4th March 1918.

Despatched

No. 6012/418 III

Enclosure

Subject.

Furnishing opinion in the matter of employing Mounted Police.

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Extract of memorandum prepared by Mr. Carr 3/13th July'04

I am rather in favour of substituting a Police Cyclist Corps, for the Mounted Force-this Corps to form part of the Special Reserve at Bangalore and to be available for special duty all over the Province-whether for the suppression of dacoities, or any other organized crime or for the patrol of roads and frontiers. The initial cost of such a Corps would be far less than in the case of a mounted Force, and the monthly up-keep of the means of conveyance, viz., -the bicycle as against the horse-would be very much in favour of the bi-cycle.

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Signed by H. G. C.

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Serial No.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read.—

... Subject no 319 of the Representative Assembly Proceedings of 1916 regarding mounted police for the cities of Bangalore & Mysore and the borders H. Hd. Qr. towns and the reply of Govt. thereto.

2. Letter no. $\frac{6012}{418}$ dated the 4th March 1918 from the I. G. P. ~~Order Thereon:— No.~~ Police in Mysore in the matter.

Order No J. ...

Govt. do not consider that there is at present any

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May this be

i Printed?

ii treated as a standing order?

iii published in the Gazette English part?

iv translated?

v placed at the disposal of the press?

vi published in the Gazette Kannada part?

necessity for a anonymous petition form.

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To The D. S. of Police in Mysore

The A.S. Sam. Mysore Dt.

for communication to the petitioner concerned.

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